

THE WHITE HOUSE
Washington, D. C.

Director of Central Intelligence
2430 "E" Street, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Executive Order signed by me this date,
I hereby authorize you to make awards of the National Security
Medal in accordance with regulations prescribed by me.

You are also authorized to prescribe such further rules
and regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of Execu-
tive Order , as may be necessary to accomplish its
purposes.

Sincerely,

Harry S. Truman

January , 1953